

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department – Misappropriation of Government funds by certain Engineering and non-Engineering officials under FFWP Programme in West Godavari District in Distribution of Rice under FFWP and ISL Scheme – Disciplinary action initiated against Sri G.J.Benehar, former DEE, RWS Jangareddygudem, West Godavari district among others – Charge framed – Common enquiry conducted – Charge is held proved – E.Os report communicated – A punishment of stoppage of one (1) increment with cumulative effect imposed against Sri G.J.Benehar, DEE under Rule 9 (vi) of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 – Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPEMENT (VIG.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.1595

Dated:28.08.2012
Read the following:

1. From the G.A.(V&E) Dept. Vigilance Report No.78, dt.26.7.04
2. Charge Memo.No.Vig.III(1)/23305/2004, Dt.3.2.05 of the ENC (PR), Hyd.
3. WSD of Sri G.J.Benhar, DEE, Dt.19.04.05.
4. G.O.Rt.No.1497, PR&RD (Vig.II) Dept., Dt.18.06.2012.
5. G.O.Rt.No.1234, PR&RD (Vig.II) Dept., Dt.12.08.2008.
6. From Smt. Chandana Khan, COI, D.O.Lr.No.1397/COI-CK/A5/2008-3, Dt.02.02.2009.
7. Govt.Memo.No.7870/Vig.II/A2/2004-10, Dt.22.04.2009.
8. Repren. of Sri G.J.Benhar, DEE, dt.04.06.2009.
9. Govt.Lr.No.7870/Vig.II/A2/2004-20, Dt.07.06.2012.
10. From the APPSC, Lr. No.1251/RT/1/2012, Dt.26.06.12

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ORDER:-

In pursuance to the recommendations of the General Administration (V&E) Department vide ref. 1st read above, Disciplinary proceedings were initiated against Sri G.J.Benahar, Deputy Executive Engineer among others on the allegations of misappropriation of Government funds by certain Engineering and non-Engineering officials under FFWP Programme in West Godavari District in Distribution of Rice under FFWP and ISL Scheme by framing article of charge under rule 20 of A.P. Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 vide ref. 2nd read above and he has submitted his explanations to the charge vide ref.3rd read above.

2. After examining the explanations of the charged officers, Government have decided to hold enquiry against all erring officials in this case. Accordingly, Sri S. Satyanarayana, Member, Commissioner of Inquiries has been appointed as Inquiry Officer to conduct detailed enquiry against Sri G.J.Benhar, Deputy Executive Engineer among others and the Executive Engineer (Panchayat Raj), Eluru was appointed as Presenting officer to present the case before the Enquiry Officer on behalf the Government vide ref.4th read above. Later the case was entrusted to Smt. Chandana Khan, IAS, Commissioner of Inquiries vide ref. 5th read above.

3. The Inquiry Officer after conducting detailed enquiry has submitted her report to the Government holding that the charge is held proved against Sri G.J.Benahar, Deputy Executive Engineer in the enquiry vide ref. 6th read above.

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4. In the ref.7th read above, while communicating a copy of the enquiry report, the Charged Officer has been requested to submit his representation, if any, on the enquiry report and he has submitted his representations vide ref. 8th read above. On examination of the representation and after following due procedure, the Government have decided to impose a punishment of stoppage of one (1) increment with cumulative effect against Sri G.J. Benahar, Deputy Executive Engineer, as the charge is held proved in the enquiry against him.

5. In the ref. 9th read above, the Secretary, A.P. Public Service Commission, Hyderabad has been requested to obtain the concurrence of the Commission on the above proposed penalty and communicate the same to Government at an early date and the Secretary, A.P. Public Service Commission, Hyderabad in the ref 10th read above stated that Commission has agreed with the proposal of the Government, i.e. to impose a punishment of stoppage of one (1) increment with cumulative effect against Sri G.J. Benahar, Deputy Executive Engineer.

6. The Government, after careful examination of the matter material on record available and keeping in view of the opinion of the A.P. Public Service Commission, Hyderabad have decided and hereby imposed a punishment of stoppage of one (1) increment of with cumulative effect against Sri G.J. Benahar, former Deputy Executive Engineer, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, Jangareddygudem, West Godavari district under Rule 9 (vi) of A.P. Civil Services (Classification Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991.

7. The Engineer-in-Chief (RWS&S), Hyderabad. shall take further action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

VIKAS RAJ
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (RWS&S)

To
Sri G.J. Benhar, former Deputy Executive Engineer, RWS&S,
Jangareddygudem, West Godavari District through
the Engineer-in- Chief (RWS&S) Hyderabad.

The Engineer-in-Chief (RWS&S), Hyderabad.

Copy to

The General Administration (V&E) Department.

(with Ref. to Vig .Report No. 78, Dt 26.7.2004)

The Secretary, Vigilance Commissioner,

A.P. Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad.

The Secretary, A.P. Public Service Commission, Hyderabad.

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SECTION OFFICER